

# Fair Play.



THURSDAY, JULY 8, 1875

## LOCAL MATTERS

Nice little rain on Wednesday morning.

Ingraham, the jail man, is here "bossing" business this week.

We notice Mr. George D. Reynolds, of St. Louis, in town this week.

Farmington has a musical convention. Why would not something of the kind be interesting here?

Ice Cream every Sunday during the summer season at 501 E. SECKINGER'S.

The weather is excessively warm, but then we won't tell anybody because they know it already.

Rozier & Jokers still have those cheap Calicoes at 14, 15, 17 and 18 yards to the dollar, and intend to keep them at that price until further notice.

The workmen who are to do the brick laying on the jail arrived from Cape Girardeau on last Monday night.

The river still continues to rise slowly. It is said that two feet more of a rise will overflow some parts of the "Big Field."

If our paper lacks interest this week, all we have to say is that this is the 4th of July week, and we are as independent as anybody else.

We received this week "The National Protestant," one of the grandest 16 page periodicals of the age, and contains many valuable articles.

Christian Luecke has secured the Service of a first class wagon maker, and is now prepared to furnish farmers and others with anything in that line. See advertisement in another column.

A little boy, in St. Francois county, son of Ely Hopkins, Esq., fell in a well thirty-two feet deep one day last week. There was about 8 or ten feet of water in the well, and the little fellow was rescued unhurt.

Henry Altou a colored man who lives eight miles West of Ste. Genevieve was bitten by a copper head snake on the 4th inst. while binding wheat, medical attendance was called as soon as possible and though the wound was very painful he is able to be at work again.

The "Fair Play Base Ball Club" have challenged the "Anchor Base Ball Club" of St. Mary's, to play for a base ball and the championship of Ste. Genevieve county. The game is to be played next Sunday at St. Mary. Show 'em what you can do boys.

Let none who feel the slightest interest in the success of the Fair next fall fail to come to the public meeting to be held at the Court House on Saturday evening next. Matters of great importance concerning it are to be discussed. Stockholders and the public in general are invited.

We are informed that the prospects at Jokers's Copper Mines are more flattering every day, and we hope to be able to announce in a very short time that the prospectors have struck a rich lead. Messrs Cisson, and others interested in the mines have been out at the diggings for several days awaiting developments.

We are able to note a few improvements this week. Our enterprising Hotel Keeper, Joe Vorst, has erected a street lamp in front of

his Hotel. John L. Boverie, Esq. is having his store house repainted. It has already received the coat of red paint, and after the penciling is done will look much improved. Mathew Klein, Esq., has also had his house painted and a new sign painted over his door. Dr. Carsow has had new blinds hung to the upper story of his building and the lower story ones repaired and re-hung. There are still a few more buildings that will bear a coat or two of paint and some other repairing without doing them any injury. Hope those owning them will imitate the example set by the above parties.

The "Glorious Fourth" was quite a quiet affair with "old Ste. Genevieve" this year. She didn't celebrate worth a cent. The only excitement on hand outside of the regulars Sunday's beer drinking was a picnic on Maxwell's hill in the afternoon, in which a few kegs of beer were "stowed away," and an arm or two dislocated, and an illumination of the Southern Hotel at night, appropriate addresses were delivered by Capt. St Gem and Gen. Rozier, and the Ste. Genevieve band enlivened the scene with some excellent music. Joe is about the only patriotic citizen we seem to have in town. However, perhaps the others are concentrating their enthusiasm for a grand burst at the centennial next year.

The farmers are pretty well done their harvesting in this county. We were glad to see some of the young men of our town turn out and assist the farmers in saving their grain. They show that they are willing to lend a helping hand when it is necessary. The wheat crop is reported excellent, and we may soon begin to hope for better times in money matters than the past few months have been.

Ellis Harris, Esq., informs us that his connection as local editor of the Free Press ceases with this week's issue. We are sorry to hear it as his Faber was no small addition to that valuable journal. He tells us that he will go back to work in the copper mines again, where he thinks his prospects are good to make an easy and early fortune. We wish him success.

The farmers in our county are enterprising if no other part of the population is. That is if we can judge from the amount of the latest improved machinery they buy to facilitate their labor. Scarcely a day passes that we do not see a reaper, or some other machine for agricultural use taken away from Mr. Wilder's Agricultural depot in this town.

A Mr. Comb, who lives a couple of miles Southwest of this place attended the picnic on the hill last Sunday, celebrated a little too much on the 4th, and in attempting to perform a feat on a rope fell to the ground and dislocated his elbow joint and also hurt his wrist pretty badly. His arm was properly dressed, and he will probably soon be all right.

An affray on the infantile order occurred the other day between two boys, one a son of Mrs. Bell and the other a son of Mr. Bernard Larose, in which the latter stabbed the former in the face with a pocket knife, inflicting a severe, though not dangerous wound. A good dose of cowhide oil would be good for such a boy.

The Ste. Genevieve county Grange of Patrons of Husbandry will meet at Three Rivers Grange Hall at 10 o'clock, A. M., on Saturday, the 10th day of July, 1875.

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Legs	12 1/2	do	
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" young	2 00	do	
Flour	6 50	do	
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Sack Salt	1 60	do	
Butter	10	do	
Dry Hides	10	do	
Lard	18	do	
Bacon	17	do	

Justices of the peace and other officers wanting blanks of any kind, can be accommodated by calling at this office.

## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given all those whom it may concern, that the Board of Education of the city of Ste. Genevieve, Mo., will contract with four teachers to take charge of the public schools of said city, for the term of ten months, commencing the first Monday of September, 1875. Three teachers are to teach in the school for white children and one in the school for colored children. All those wishing to teach in either of the above schools are requested to deposit their certificates with the secretary, on or before June 28th 1875. FRANK KLEIN, Secretary pro. tem.

## ATTENTION!

Stockholders and the Public generally are earnestly requested to attend a Public Meeting to be held at Court House on Saturday Evening next, July 10th, for the purpose of discussing important matters concerning the Fair.

By order of the Board of Directors.

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The "Ste. Genevieve County Agricultural and Mechanical Society" have purchased about 40 acres of land from Charles H. Gregoire, in the southern portion of the city of Ste. Genevieve—and intend to hold their "First annual Fair," sometime in September next. The grounds can not be excelled—they are level and beautifully situated. They include a magnificent Grove. The race track will be the most attractive in Mo. In fact no other fair grounds in Southeast Missouri can compare with the above. Everything is being done to make the fair a success—and the directory expect and hope that the people of Ste. Genevieve County will assist them in their laudable undertaking. All classes are interested in the success of this enterprise.

The Books of Subscription to the stock of said Society are in the hands of Franklin Leavenworth, of the City of Ste. Genevieve. Come forward, one and all, and let us demonstrate the fact that our people can and will have a Fair.